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SUBJECT: PRE-LICENSE CHECK OF RALPH WARREN AND PARTNERS

AND L.D. HAMMOND (ENG) CO., C/O GAFAC ENGINEERING CO.

REF: SHERWOOD INT'L EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATION 16320

1. SHERWOOD INT'L EXPORT CORP. OF NORTHRIDGE, CALIFORNIA REQUESTS DEPT'S PERMISSION TO EXPORT 6,800 BREECH BOLTS FOR THE CALIBLR .30 BROWNING MACHINE GUN, 6,000 EXTRACTORS, 1,000 LEAF REAR SIGHTS, AND OTHER MACHINE GUN SPARE PARTS TO RALPH WARREN AND PARTNERS AT 251 LAUDERDALL MANSIONS, LAUDERDALE ROAD, LONDON W9 ILZ. L. D. HAMMOND (ENG) CO., C/O GAFAC ENGINEERING CO., OF DARTFORD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, POWDER MILL LANE, DARTFORD, KENT IS NAMED AS THE FOREIGN INTERMEDIATE CONSIGNEE ON SHERWOOD'S APPLICATION. TOTAL VALUE OF THE ITEMS IS 248,250 DOLLARS. SHERWOOD LISTS "INVENTORY" AS THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE MATERIAL IS REQUIRED. THE SIZE AND VALUE OF THIS ORDER LEADS THE DEPARTMENT TO BELIEVE THAT THE ULTIMATE END-USER IS PROBABLY A GOVERNMENT.

2. POST REQUESTED VERIFY VALIDITY OF TRANSACTION,
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ESTABLISH IF WARREN AND HAMMOND ARE BONA FIDE ARMS DEALERS,

DETERMINE IF THE EQUIPMENT IS TO BE RESOLD IN THE UK,

OR IF IT WILL BE TRANSSHIPPED TO A THIRD COUNTRY, AND
FURNISH RECOMMENDATION RE APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL OF
REFERENCED APPLICATION. KISSINGER

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